

RESOLUTION NO. 2003-55

A RESOLUTION OF THE LODI CITY COUNCIL APPROVING THE INITIAL  
STUDY, THE MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION, AND THE MITIGATION  
MONITORING PROGRAM FOR THE LOWER SACRAMENTO ROAD  
WIDENING, HARNEY LANE TO KETTLEMAN LANE, PROJECT

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WHEREAS, this joint project of the City of Lodi and San Joaquin County began in February 2001 with the award of a design contract to Mark Thomas & Company, Inc.; and

WHEREAS, included in the contract was the preparation of an Initial Study and Mitigated Negative Declaration for the project; and

WHEREAS, the Mitigated Negative Declaration is based upon a finding that there is not substantial evidence that the project as proposed with mitigations will have a significant effect on the environment. The reasons supporting this finding, plus the mitigation measures, are documented in the Mitigated Negative Declaration; and

WHEREAS, the project consists of roadway improvements to approximately one mile of Lower Sacramento Road, from Harney Lane to Kettleman Lane, including the intersection of Century Boulevard/Lower Sacramento Road. This section of Lower Sacramento Road will be widened from a two-lane rural road to a four-lane arterial with a raised landscaped median. The project includes a new storm drain system that conforms to the City Storm Drainage Master Plan; and

WHEREAS, the City of Lodi, as lead agency, agrees to implement all of the mitigation measures. Therefore, staff recommends that the City Council approve the Initial Study, certify the filing of a Mitigated Negative Declaration as adequate environmental documentation for the Lower Sacramento Road Widening Project, and further approve the Mitigation Monitoring Program.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Lodi City Council has reviewed all documentation and hereby approves the Initial Study, certifies the filing of a Mitigated Negative Declaration as adequate environmental documentation for the Lower Sacramento Road Widening Project, and further approves the Mitigation Monitoring Program.

Dated: April 2, 2003

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I hereby certify that Resolution No. 2003-55 was passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Lodi in a regular meeting held April 2, 2003, by the following vote:

AYES: COUNCIL MEMBERS – Beckman, Hansen, Howard, Land, and Mayor Hitchcock

NOES: COUNCIL MEMBERS – None

ABSENT: COUNCIL MEMBERS – None

ABSTAIN: COUNCIL MEMBERS – None



SUSAN J. BLACKSTON  
City Clerk

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